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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 09/902,933 Entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROGRAMMABLE FLUIDIC PROCESSING - by Becker et al.*

Commissioner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (with attached formal drawings); and
- (2) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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Becker et al.

Serial No.: 09/902,933

Filed: July 10, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PROGRAMMABLE FLUIDIC  
PROCESSING

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS  
DATED AUGUST 3, 2001**

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Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated August 3, 2001 for which the two-month date for response is October 3, 2001.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE**

Submitted herewith are formal drawings which comply with the margin requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R 1.52 and 37 C.F.R. 1.84.

Applicants believe that the attached documents fully respond to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers for this application.

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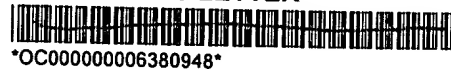
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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